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Enclosed for filing is the patent application of:

Inventors: Guido Gabriele ALBASINI and Enrico TEMPORITI MILANI

Title: Improvements to Phase-Error-Compensation Techniques in a Fractional-N PLL Frequency Synthesizer

Including:

- ☒ 1. A specification including claims consisting of 25 pages.
- ☒ 2. Formal Drawings consisting of 5 sheets.
- ☒ 3. Declaration and Power of Attorney will follow.
- ☒ 4. Benefit of co-pending European patent application number 03425155.3 filed on March 14, 2003 is being claimed.
- ☒ 5. The priority document will follow.

Additionally:

- ☒ 6. An assignment of the invention to STMicroelectronics S.r.l. will follow.
- ☒ 7. A filing date in accordance with 37 CFR 1.10 is requested (Express mail certificate is part of this transmittal letter).

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X 13. An Information Disclosure Statement with references (5 of refs.) is enclosed.  
X 14. A postcard is enclosed as acknowledgment of receipt of this application.

Respectfully submitted,  
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